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**UTILITY  
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Attorney Docket No.

8296

First Inventor

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Assignee

The Procter & Gamble Company

Title

Multi-Layer Dye-Scavenging Article

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ET405548214US

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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(see 37 CFR §1.27)
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  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
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  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC §113) **Total Sheets [2]**
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Independent Claims	[3] - 3** = [] x	[] =	[]
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110 18	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 & over original patent

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139 130	Non-English specification	[]
147 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	[]
112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner's action	[]
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115 110	Extension for reply within 1 <sup>st</sup> month	[]
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